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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
9 AT SEATTLE

10 KHOA HOANG,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 TRIDENT SEAFOODS CORP., *et al.*,

14 Defendants.

Case No. C06-1158RSL

ORDER TO SEAL DOCUMENT  
AND FILE REDACTED COPY  
OF SEALED DOCUMENT

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16 This matter comes before the Court *sua sponte*. Defendant's response to plaintiff's  
17 motion to compel contains private and personal information that needs to be redacted from  
18 public documents.

19 Pursuant to the General Order of the Court regarding Public Access to Electronic Case  
20 Files (filed 5/29/03), parties are to redact the following information from documents and exhibits  
21 before they are filed with the court:

22 \* Dates of Birth - redact to the year of birth

23 \* Names of Minor Children - redact to the initials

24 \* Social Security Numbers - redact to the last four digits

25 \* Financial Accounting Information - redact to the last four digits

26 The General Order was issued by the court pursuant to the official policy on privacy  
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1 adopted by the Judicial Conference of the United States and can be found on the court's website  
2 at <http://www.wawd.uscourts.gov/docs>. All documents filed in the above-captioned matter must  
3 comply with the Privacy Policy and the General Order.

4 In order to restrict access to the private and confidential information that has already  
5 made its way into the record in an expeditious manner, the Clerk of Court is hereby directed to  
6 seal the Declaration of Richard Nielsen, Dkt. #19, in the above-captioned matter. The parties  
7 are directed to promptly review all previously filed documents to ensure that they do not contain  
8 additional information that should have been redacted. The parties shall make every effort to  
9 avoid such public disclosures of confidential information in the future.

10 As a result of the improper filing, a substantial portion of the record is now sealed, which  
11 is inconsistent with the public's right of access. Defendant is therefore ORDERED to file,  
12 within ten days of the date of this order, a redacted copy of all documents which have been  
13 sealed in this case. If defendant has any questions about the Privacy Policy and the General  
14 Order or need assistance in filing and properly labeling the redacted copies, it should contact the  
15 CM/ECF Helpdesk at 1-866-ECF-WAWD (1-866-323-9293).

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17 DATED this 7th day of June, 2007.

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21 Robert S. Lasnik  
22 United States District Judge  
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